

BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH.

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BRAINERD, MINN., TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1903.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

CLEARANCE SALE STILL ON AT THE BIG STORE.

Men's heavy Underwear the 50c kind for.....	33 1-2c
The \$1.00 kind.....	75c
The \$1.50 kind.....	\$1.20
woolen Socks worth 25c for.....	19c
Woolen Socks worth 50c for.....	30c
Sheepskin Duck Coats for.....	\$2.50
All Caps and Rubbers go at cost and below. → → →	

B. KAATZ & SON.

203-205 Kindred Street,

East Brainerd.

SIX REPORTED KILLED

TWENTY-FIVE OR THIRTY OTHERS INJURED IN A NEW JERSEY EXPLOSION.

CEMENT PLANT DAMAGED

Fire Destroys Portion of Edison Factory at New Village, N. J.—Quantity of Gas Ignites in a Large Coal Bin and the Concussion Blows the Bin to Pieces and Injures Workmen in Its Immediate Vicinity.

Easton, Pa., March 3.—Six men are thought to be dead and twenty-five or thirty others are injured, several of them seriously, from the effects of an explosion at the Edison cement plant, at New Village, N. J., seven miles from here, on the line of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad. A large part of the plant was burned. Six men are missing and it is feared their bodies are in the ruins. Their names have not been learned.

The most seriously injured, all of whom are burned, are: E. E. Darling, William Stratton, Harry Ross, R. L. Goodwillie, George Bowman, Clinton S. Race, Alexander Wolf, George Bowman, and Harry Wilkmein.

All of these men have been brought to Easton. The remainder of the injured are being cared for at New Village and Stewartsville at farm houses in the vicinity of the plant. Special trains have been running between New Village and Easton all night and more of the unfortunate men are expected to be brought to the local hospital.

MERRIAM'S SITUATION.

Accepts Vice Presidency of a New York Mercantile Company.

St. Paul, March 3.—A special to the Globe from New York says: W. R. Merriam, director of the census at Washington, arrived in New York during the day and accepted the first vice presidency of the International Mercantile agency, the newest rival of Dun and Bradstreet. He left his residence in Washington and it was resignation by President Roosevelt during the day. Mr. Merriam will soon bring his family from St. Paul to New York and remain permanently. He will devote his entire attention to the work of the new mercantile agency.

NEWSPAPER MEN ARRESTED.

American Staff Writers Charged With Libelling General Davis.

Manila, March 3.—William Crozier, editor; Mr. Kenny, manager, and Mr. Green, a reporter of the American, have been arrested on the charge of libelling General Davis. When General Davis expressed his partial disapproval of the findings in the Major Glenn case, the American published an editorial charging General Davis with a desire to curry favor with the administration in the hope of being selected to succeed General Miles in the command of the army. General Davis referred the article to Governor Taft.

FURIOUS HURRICANE.

Worst Storm in Many Years Raging at St. Johns, N. F.

St. Johns, N. F., March 3.—A furious hurricane, the worst for many years, raged here Sunday. One schooner was wrecked, but the crew was saved. It is feared that other disasters have occurred along the coast.

The gale has not yet abated. A number of bridges and fishing stations have been destroyed.

FIFTY FACTORIES CLOSED.

Brooklyn Firms Fail to Comply With Sanitary Regulations.

New York, March 3.—The state superintendent of factories and a party of inspectors went through the clothing factories in the Brownsville district of Brooklyn. Fifty factories were closed on the ground that they did not comply with the laws regarding ventilation and sanitary conditions. A number of children were sent to their homes, being under the age required by law.

AMERICAN AMBUSHED.

Fell Into Trap Set by Troops of Honduras Government.

New Orleans, March 3.—The steamer Breakwater, from Puerto Cortez, Honduras, brought news of a desperate battle between government troops and a force of insurgents, under command of Lee Christmas, an American, which resulted in the defeat of Christmas and the almost complete annihilation of his little army.

At the outbreak of the recent revolution Christmas cast his lot with Bonilla. He organized an army in the interior of Honduras and was marching at the head of a column of 200 men, when he fell into a trap set by the government forces at Miqui, 120 miles from the capital.

He was attacked by the government

ELECTS TWO SENATORS

DELAWARE LEGISLATURE ENDS
THE LONG CONTEST IN
THAT STATE.

VICTORY FOR J. E. ADDICKS

So Regarded Because of the Refusal of the Regular Republicans to Agree to a Compromise With the Democrats—J. Frank Allee and L. Heisler Ball the Men Finally Chosen.

Dover, Del., March 3.—For the first time in four years the state of Delaware during the day secured full representation in the United States senate. At a special session the state legislature elected State Senator J. Frank Allee (Union Republican) to the senatorialship which expires in 1907, and Congressman L. Heisler Ball (Regular Republican) to the term expiring in 1905. The selection was undoubtedly due to pressure from Washington brought to bear upon the Regular Republicans in the legislature who have all along been opposed to the election of J. Edward Addicks or any of his adherents to the United States senate. Congressman Dick of Ohio came to Dover during the day in the interest of Republican harmony. He established headquarters at the hotel Richardson, where, prior to the joint session of the legislature, he received a delegation from each Republican faction. He advised the acceptance by the Regular Republicans of the Union Republicans' proposition agreed upon in Philadelphia Saturday, that a Union Republican be elected to the long term senatorship and a Regular Republican for the short term, Addicks himself to be eliminated.

House Was Crowded.

In expectation of a settlement of the senatorial difficulty, politicians and prominent men from every section of the state were present at the day's session of the legislature. The election of Messrs. Allee and Ball was announced to an audience that filled the house of representatives to suffocation. Men were standing upon the window ledges and so compact was the crowd that many of the speakers stood upon the shoulders of others supporting themselves against the walls of the assembly room. The noise and confusion on the part of those who came to witness the proceedings was so great that many of the legislators became bewildered and apparently did not know how to vote when the roll was called.

Mr. Addicks was the first to congratulate Senator Allee, and he was followed by a long procession of legislators and spectators, all of whom were anxious to shake the hand of the successful candidate.

The election is regarded here as an Addicks victory because of the refusal of the Regular Republicans to agree to a compromise with the Democrats.

FISHERMEN IN PERIL.

About Twenty of Them Adrift on a Large Body of Ice.

Menominee, Mich., March 3.—About twenty fishermen are in peril on a large body of floating ice that suddenly broke loose Sunday afternoon between Baileys Harbor and Chambers Island. A strong west wind has been carrying the ice floe out toward Lake Michigan, and it is feared that unless the men are quickly rescued, it will be broken up by the waves at Death's Door, the entrance to Lake Michigan. Three men managed to get off the ice floe at Fish creek and three were rescued farther down the bay. It is reported that several more were rescued just as the ice was bearing down on Death's Door. Captain Hill of the Hill steamboat line, with a picked crew, has gone to the rescue.

TAKE FRENCH LEAVE.

Eighteen Men of the Maine Absent Without Permission.

Washington, March 3.—Animated by reports of grave disorders among the crew of the new battleship Maine, the navigation bureau telephoned to Captain Leutze, commander of the ship, to ascertain the facts. He replied as follows:

"Eighteen men absent without leave, having left the ship while in dock. No one shot or shot at."

Admiral Taylor says that considering the fact that the Maine is just newly in commission with a strange crew the number of absenteers reported (they are not set down as deserters) is exceedingly moderate.

TWO MORE DIE.

Typhoid Fever Epidemic at Ithaca Still Claims Victims.

Indianapolis, March 3.—Fourteen people were injured in a grade crossing accident in the evening. A street car carrying twenty-five passengers was struck by a cut of freight cars at the Indiana, Decatur and Western crossing in Washington street. The car was thrown some distance, and two box cars were overturned. The injured will recover.

Do you want a baby carriage, go cart, refrigerator or ice cream freezer on easy terms. See D. M. Clark & Co.

BURDICK MURDER MYSTERY.

Disappearance of Liquor Bottle Again Bings a Woman Into Case.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 3.—Nearly four days have elapsed since the body of Edwin L. Burdick was found in his "den" on the first floor of his home in Ashland avenue, with his skull crushed to a pulp. During that time the district attorney's office and the detective force of the city have worked night and day on the case. Scores of persons have been called into the district attorney's office at all times of the day and night.

The clues upon which it is evident the police are at the present time devoting the most attention are:

The lone woman seen on Ashland avenue at 10 o'clock on the night of the murder; the unidentified man driving to the neighborhood by Delahunt at about 11 o'clock; the stained golf stick and the quart bottle of cocktails that Mr. Burdick took home on Thursday afternoon, the day before the tragedy, and which has not been seen since. The wrapper in which the bottle was taken to the house was found in a garbage can back of the house. The bottle itself has never been found.

The significance of the disappearance of this bottle of liquor became known at night. It again

Brings a Woman Into the Case.

This particular woman will be most difficult to trace for she first comes into the case at one end of a telephone wire which was connected with Mr. Burdick's office. It is known, however, that the same voice had frequently been heard over the telephone inquiring for Mr. Burdick.

On the afternoon before the murder this unknown woman called up Mr. Burdick's office and asked if he was in. It was not Mr. Burdick who answered the phone. The police know who did. They have had him at the district attorney's office several times. Mr. Burdick was in, and after a brief conversation with her Burdick left the office.

From the office he went to a well known liquor store and bought the now famous bottle of cocktails. A domestic at the house has informed the authorities that Mr. Burdick brought the bottle home and placed it in the sideboard. No one at the house has seen it since. Three women are now under suspicion.

City Chemist Hill is at work making examinations of the liquor found in Mr. Burdick's "den" and the contents of Mr. Burdick's stomach.

PRESS INSANITY PLEA.

Knapp's Relatives Will Try to Save Him From Electric Chair.

Hamilton, O., March 3.—Owing to the fact that Knapp has pleaded not guilty and that he has not yet secured counsel, the date of his preliminary hearing has not yet been fixed. Prosecutor Gard and Judge Belden had a consultation in the afternoon in reference to the calling of a special grand jury, but no conclusion was reached.

The developments of the day show that the family of Knapp intend to press the defense of insanity to the last.

Fear of the electric chair, along with the pleading of his relatives, who think they can prove that he is insane, and the failure of the police to find the woman's body, lent reason to Knapp's plea of not guilty.

Can Gain Long Respite.

It is thought that whatever will be his punishment for any of the murders in Hamilton, Cincinnati or Indianapolis, he can gain a long respite by fighting even in the face of his own confessions.

Knapp was accorded the privilege of naming the day for a preliminary hearing.

Knapp sat with his hands folded during the arraignment and seemed to be the most indifferent person in the court-room. He seems to believe that his folks will prove him insane and that the worst fate that awaits him is commitment to an asylum.

Mrs. Knapp's Body Found.

A dispatch from New Albany, Ind., says that the body of a woman was found floating in the Ohio river during the day. It answers the description of Hannah Goddard Knapp, including the gold band ring on the left hand and the gold earrings that Knapp maintained would be found on the body. The hosiery also answers the description given by Knapp.

Further details from New Albany.

of the finding of the body in the river there show that it is without a doubt the body of Mrs. Hannah Goddard Knapp. The jewelry and stockings found on the body were described to Knapp and Goddard, an uncle of the dead woman, and they both declare that they were those of Mrs. Hannah Goddard Knapp.

PRESENT AN ULTIMATUM.

Wabash Trainmen Will Strike Unless Demands Are Granted.

St. Louis, March 3.—Unless certain demands for an increase in wages on the Wabash system east of the Mississippi river are granted by noon it is probable that a general strike will be instituted. Committees representing the trainmen and firemen of the road sent ultimatums to President Ramsey notifying him that the result of the poll among the employed members of their organization was that the demands of 15 per cent increase for passenger men and 12 per cent increase for freight men and 12 per cent increase for passenger men east of the Mississippi exclusive of the Canada lines and double pay for double headed freight trains must be conceded by noon or a strike would be ordered.

The conductors and engineers notified President Ramsey at the same time that they would abide by the increased schedule granted a week ago and were not in favor of a strike.

A. E. MOBERG'S

BIG

SHIRT WAIST SALE COMMENCING

Wednesday, March 4.

About 50 doz. of Ladies' fine Shirt Waists to clean up at less than half factory price.

Here is Your Chance, Everyone Come.

Lot 1

Ladies' fine fleeced lined, also imitation French Flannels, Madras Lawns and Pique Shirt Waists.

Price up to \$1.50, your choice only

49c

Lot 2

Ladies' fine all wool Flannels, Wool Mohairs and colored Wash Waists.

Price up to \$2.50, your choice only

\$1.00

Lot 3

Ladies' fine French Flannel, also all wool embroidered Flannel Shirt Waists including \$3.95 Waists your choice

\$1.45

Lot Ladies' And Children's Cloaks: Sale Regardless of Price.

THE PRICES

We are making on Clothing and Shoes ought to interest every person in Crow Wing and Cass counties. The goods Must and Will be Sold. If you don't get supplied now you are the loser.

A. E. MOBERG, Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoes, 516-518 Front St. - Brainerd, Minn.

NOT SUBJECT TO COPYRIGHT.

Messages and Papers of Presidents Are Public Property.

Washington, March 3.—Representative Heatwole submitted the following report to the house from the committee on printing, of which he is chairman, on the resolution introduced into the house concerning the publication of the messages and documents of presidents:

"Your committee are of the opinion that publications authorized by congress cannot be copyrighted. Your committee are further of the opinion that all messages and papers of presidents of the United States of America are public documents and therefore not subject to copyright. In order to prevent the use of government names or terms liable to confuse and mislead the public, your committee respectfully present the following bill and recommend its adoption."

The bill reported makes it a misdemeanor to stamp as copyrighted any government publication. A fine not exceeding \$100 or imprisonment for not more than thirty days, or both, is fixed as the penalty.

CROWDS IN ROME.

City Overflowing With Visitors to Papal Ceremonies.

Rome, March 3.—The city is overflowing with visitors. The hotels have turned the bath and billiard rooms and offices into bedrooms, but the accommodation is still insufficient for the crowd of 20,000 pilgrims besides the 50,000 other visitors who have arrived for the day's ceremony. Forty-six out of the fifty-eight members of the sacred college are here, together with nearly 300 archbishops and bishops. The pope passed very quiet birthday, spending most of the time resting to please the doctors, or, as he said, "praying to please himself."

TWO FATALLY INJURED.

Large Number of Men in Grave Peril Near St. Louis.

St. Louis, March 3.—Two men were probably fatally injured, seven were less seriously hurt, and fifty others had a narrow escape from death at

THE DAILY DISPATCH.

BY INGERSOLL & WIELAND.

E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

Entered at the post-office at Brainerd, Minn., as second class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Week	Ten Cents
One Month	Forty Cents
One Year	Four Dollars

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1903.

Weather.

Cloudy tonight and Wednesday.

An extra session of congress has been called to act on matters of importance to the nation.

GAMBLING is a felony in Washington, the state legislature having just passed a bill to that effect.

THE report that W. R. Merriam is to accept a position with a prominent New York financial concern is denied although it is a fact that he will soon retire from the census bureau.

DR. AMES isn't to be the whole thing in Minneapolis scandal circles. It is charged that a hose company attempted to corrupt an alderman by offering him a bribe and an investigation has been ordered.

AT Little Falls a hypnotist of the fake order burglarized a hardware store and shortly afterwards made a lady a present of a new revolver and pen knife which will pave the way for his admittance to the state boarding house at Stillwater.

If it is constitutional a bill is to be introduced to disfranchise non-taxpaying voters so far as votes upon any proposition involving the issue of school or municipal bonds are concerned. Frequently it is the case that propositions of this kind are carried by the votes of men who pay no taxes and upon whom a bond issue works no hardship. It would be good common sense to have such a law upon the statute books.

BON DUNN's Princeton Union has been the only newspaper that town ever boasted of and it has so ably covered the field that there has been no need of a competitor. However, the time has arrived when some one imagines the Union is coining money and a second paper is to be started by M. L. Cormany and it will be called The News. The field is not large enough for two publications of the Union class and as Bro. Dunn's publication is not expected to deteriorate the new publisher will have to hurry.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Eugene Smith is in the city today. D. M. Clark left for St. Paul this afternoon on business.

Rev. D. W. Lynch returned from St. Paul this afternoon.

Attorney A. T. Larson left for Crow Wing this afternoon.

Paul Berrisford arrived in the city from the west this afternoon.

George F. Foster, of Little Falls, is in the city today on business.

R. J. Hartley left this afternoon for Park Rapids on logging business.

I. Kraywetz, of St. Cloud, returned home on No. 6, after spending a day in the city on business.

A. C. Hanson, a member of the Bemidji police force, is in the city visiting with his brother, John Hanson.

The regular business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will be held tonight at the home of Mrs. A. E. Moberg.

Mrs. J. M. Schultz and daughter Miss Emma, left this afternoon for Fargo where they will visit for a short time.

Mrs. O'Donnell arrived in the city this afternoon from Minneapolis for a visit with her daughters Mrs. T. E. Canan and Miss O'Donnell.

J. C. Congdon is around on crutches today. He swears that he does not know how it all happened, but some of his friends think they have a good joke on him.

Last evening Miss Maud Cullen was tendered a birthday party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cullen, in East Brainerd. About eighteen young people were present and a delightful time was had.

A. G. Ellett has resigned his position as band sawyer with the Brainerd Lumber Co., and has accepted a similar position with Johnson-Wentworth Lumber Co., of Cloquet, Minn., and will leave for the latter place tomorrow morning.

WELL KNOWN MEN FORM COMPANY

D. M. Clark, of this City, Interested in New Wholesale Fruit House in St. Paul.

MAKE STRONG COMBINATION

J. Mulrooney, E. J. Ryan and D. M. Clark are Members of the New Firm.

A new wholesale fruit company has been organized in St. Paul which will be known as Mulrooney, Ryan & Clark, and at least two of the gentlemen are very well known in this city, E. J. Ryan, who travels for Foot, Schultz & Co., and D. M. Clark. Mr. Mulrooney is also well known to the trade and has many friends in this city. D. M. Clark, of the firm of D. M. Clark & Co., is perhaps the best known of the three and his large circle of friends in this city will wish him all the success in the world in the new enterprise.

The business here will be conducted the same as heretofore and Mr. Clark will not leave the city.

J. Mulrooney has been in the wholesale fruit business in St. Paul for a long time and is very well known over the northwest. J. H. O'Brien, son of P. D. O'Brien, of this city, who has been traveling out of Ashland for some time for J. Mulrooney, is in the city and will hereafter cover the territory for the new firm of Mulrooney, Ryan & Clark, with Brainerd as his headquarters.

W. Rogers went to the cities last night on business connected with his employment agency.

A. L. LaFreniere, editor of the Itasca County Record, of Phena, was in the city today.

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Fratcher, corner of Ninth street and Bluff avenue, tomorrow afternoon.

New line lace curtains and draperies at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-tf

Reilly is giving 25 pounds of sugar for \$1.00

THE MARKETS.

The following range of prices on the Minneapolis market today is furnished by Edwards, Wood & Co:

Wheat—	May	July
Opening	76	76
Highest	76	76
Lowest	76	76
Closing	76	76

The following are the cash closing prices on the Minneapolis market:

No. 1 Hard.....	\$ 0.78
No. 1 Northern.....	.77
No. 2 Northern.....	.76
No. 3 Yellow Corn.....	.42
No. 3 Corn.....	.40
No. 4 Corn.....	.36 to .38
No. 2 White Oats.....	.34
No. 3 White Oats.....	.33 to .33
No. 2 Rye.....	.48
Barley.....	.42 to .58
Flax cash or to arrive.....	1.13
March.....	.13

The Chicago closing prices are as follows:

May wheat.....	\$ 0.77
July73
May Corn.....	.47
July45
May Oats.....	.35
July32

May Pork.....	18.20
July	17.62

May Lard.....	9.87
July	9.72

May Ribs.....	9.80
July	9.62

Wheat—Cables were strong but not active. Primary receipts 391,000 against 470,000 bushels last year. Bradstreet's world's visible supply decrease 1,900,000 bu.

Corn—Ruled strong and sold at the highest price of the May but closed practically unchanged from yesterday.

Oats—The market was strong and showed some advance but towards the close of the session eased off and prices closed 1 lower than yesterday.

Provisions—Have been the center of attraction today. Price changes have been frequent and the range was on a broad scale but towards the close eased off with corn and closed slightly lower than yesterday.

Flax—The market ruled easy working somewhat lower on a few offerings.

Store your stoves and household good with D. M. Clark & Co. 30-tf

I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Chas Hutton, Berville, Mich.

Just received a carload of fence wire at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-tf

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"PAUST."

The pretty scenery and dresses, added to a newly invented system of electrical effects, would make Lewis Morrison's "Faust" remarkable anywhere. The choral and vocal work by an invisible choir and soloists is one of the most impressive features of the cathedral. It partakes of the nature of an oratorio with a high lyric soprano voicing the recitative as Satan listens in mockery and adds solemnity and beauty to a scene that delights the eye by the rapidly changing cloud and light effects, while the ear is charmed by the musical numbers. The garden and Brocken scenes, as well as the beautiful apotheosis, are all bright and new from the studios of Seavey and Armbruster.

Lewis Morrison's newly revised version of "Faust" comes to the Brainerd Theatre next Thursday. Seats will be on sale tomorrow at Dunn's.

"KERRY GOW."

The dean of the community of American actors making the delineation of Irish characters a specialty, is Joseph Murphy, famous throughout this continent by virtue of his creation of the character of Dan O'Hara in the play of "Kerry Gow". As an actor, Mr. Murphy is fairly entitled to the honorable position he holds, but it is very probable that he might have been longer, much longer, in winning his place, had he not been fortunate in the getting of a play. The "Kerry Gow" is full of good speeches, it fairly bubbles over with Irish wit and humor; its situations are so novel that they never grow old, and the story itself is as clean and sparkling as the mountain brook. As a play, it is perpetually youthful. Joseph Murphy will present the "Kerry Gow" at the Brainerd theatre next Saturday night.

GORDON-SHAY COMPANY.

The Gordon-Shay Grand Opera Co. will appear at the Brainerd opera house on next Monday evening, appearing in or "Il Trovatore".

Each member of the Gordon-Shay Grand Opera Co. is accomplished in some other art along with his or her music. Rose Cecilia Shay, the gifted prima donna, is a painter of note. J. S. Gordon, the astute impresario, missed being a sculptor only by discovering he had uncommon executive and business ability. He wields his plastic tools now from time to time as recreation. Helen Noldi, the dramatic soprano, is one of the best harpists who ever came out of Italy. Achille Alberti would have been a great violinist had he not elected to be a great baritone. John Dunsmore, the thunderous basso, once thought himself cut out for an architect and even now he occasionally designs residences for friends. He has in mind an ideal opera house which he hopes to work out on paper and ultimately perpetuate in marble. Chas. Bassett, the silver voiced tenor, is a piano virtuoso of first rank.

With its members thus possessing the artistic temperament to a marked degree, it is no wonder the Gordon-Shay Grand Opera Co. bring to bear upon their interpretations of the musical masterpieces an intellectual insight and sympathy which appeal strongly to the minds and sensibilities of their enlightened audiences.

FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON.

Over the Remains of the Late Mrs. Mabel Cross Held this Afternoon from

Presbyterian Church.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Mabel Cross, who died yesterday morning, were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the First Presbyterian church, the Rev. Mr. Jamieson, of Duluth, officiating. A large number of friends of the family and of the young lady were present and there were many beautiful floral contributions.

Interment was made in Evergreen cemetery.

D. M. Clark & Co. have just received a new spring line of wall paper and room moulding.

SNOW IN NEBRASKA.

Loss of Cattle on Ranges Probably Will Be Large.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 28.—Telegrams from Central and Western Nebraska towns say a heavy blanket of snow covers the whole region and the storm is continuing. A dispatch from Ainsworth says: "All traffic is suspended. Much suffering among stock is reported and the loss of range cattle will be large."

\$40,000 BONDS WILL BE ISSUED AT ONCE

Board of Education at its Meeting Last Night Adopted a Resolution to this Effect.

TO BE ISSUED ON APRIL 1.

Bonds are to Run Twenty Years and to Bear Interest at Four Per Cent.

The regular meeting of the board of education was held last night in the Washington school building and some important matters came up, besides the transaction of the routine business.

Supt. Hartley's monthly report showed an average daily attendance during the month of January of 1730 pupils.

The finance committee reported having checked up the books of the treasurer and found them to be correct in every particular.

The board took the final step to issue the \$40,000 bonds for the purpose of building additions to the Washington and the Lowell school buildings. When the resolution providing for the issuance was presented by Mr. Johnson there was not a dissenting voice and it was unanimously adopted. The resolution is as follows:

RESOLVED, By the board of education of the Brainerd Independent school district,

That bonds of the said district be issued in the aggregate sum of \$40,000, to provide the necessary funds for the construction of a \$30,000 addition to the Washington school building and a \$10,000 addition to the Lowell school building, as determined and designed by a majority of the votes cast at the district meeting held on February 18, 1903. Such bonds are to be in denominations of \$1,000 each, to run twenty years and to bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to be issued under date of April 1, 1903.

That the clerk be instructed to advertise for the purpose of said bonds, and that such advertisement be inserted in at least one newspaper in the cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul and also in local papers.

On motion the finance committee was authorized to negotiate a temporary loan for the payment of current expenses.

After the bills were allowed the board adjourned. It was a short but satisfactory meeting.

D. M. Clark & Co., oldest and largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms.

Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel trouble. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25¢ at H. P. Dunn & Co.'s, drug store.

Garden seeds and lawn grass at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-tf

Hives are a terrible torment to the little folks, and to some older ones. Easily cured. Doan's Ointment never fails. Instant relief, permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to greatly thank all friends for the kindness shown during the illness of my beloved wife and since her death. JOHN PARSONS.

A household necessity—Dr. Thomas Electric Oil. Heals burns, cuts, wounds of any sort; cures sore throat, catarrh, asthma; never fails.

Reilly is giving 25 pounds of sugar for \$1.00

H. A. Lensrud is prepared to give violin lessons. Orders will be taken at Gruenhagen's Music Store. 31t2w

More Riots.

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the liver or kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest all around medicine for run down systems. It dispels nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia and expels malaria germs. Only 20¢, and satisfaction guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co. druggists.

Reilly is giving 25 pounds of sugar for \$1.00

"A dose in time says lives." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; natures remedy for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of every sort.

OUR SPECIAL SALE

In the Grocery Department is a "hummer" and before placing your order for Groceries, China Ware, Glassware, Hardware and Tin

LENT

IS HERE!

And we are prepared to supply you with all

LENTEN - GOODS.

**Salt Fish,
Fresh Fish,
Canned Fish,
Eggs and Oysters,
A large supply
and a small price.**

**We Receive
Fresh
Radishes,
Lettuce,
Onions
and Celery
every Friday morning.**

**Fresh Killed Chickens for
Sunday Dinner.
Nice, Fresh Pie Plant, the
first of season.**

E. G. BANE.

BAKING CONTEST.

For the purpose of encouraging the use of
NEW GOLD FLOUR
among the best cooks of Brainerd, we have arranged to have a series of bread baking contests for prizes.

The first award will be made on the afternoon of March 14th, 1903, at the store of Elg Brothers.

The second one on the afternoon of March 21st, 1903, at the store of Dahl & Engstrom.

The third on the afternoon of March 28th, 1903, at the store of Scandinavian Co-operative Mercantile Co.

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The following amounts have been sent in by the various sub-chairmen: Fred McKay, Second ward \$14.00 O. C. Coffin, Deerwood.... 9.75 C. I. Loft, Sibley..... 6.25 O. S. Hendrickson, Lukens & Dykeman..... 5.50 A. Lagerquist, First ward 16.50 N. G. Olsen, Maple Grove 22.15

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THE TAX LEVY BILL WILL BE MODIFIED

**City Council Takes Kindly to the
Suggestions Made by Senator A. F. Ferris.**

MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

**The Motion to Reconsider McCabe
Matter Was Lost by the
Vote of 6 to 4**

At its meeting last night in chambers the members of the city council had under consideration the very important question of the tax levy on the assessed valuation of the city and county for road and bridge purposes.

It will be remembered that a bill was drafted a short time ago by City Attorney Fleming, and sanctioned by the city council, providing for a relief in the matter of illegal assessments made or to be made for the road and bridge fund, the county commissioners, not having been cognizant of the fact that a law was passed in 1895, providing that the levy for road and bridge purposes must not exceed one mill of the assessed valuation. The commissioners in the past have simply viewed the county, estimated what money was needed for this purpose, and then made the levy to meet the requirements. This year for instance, the levy is 2.6 mills, or 1.6 mills in excess of the legal levy. Attorney Fleming sent the bill to Senator A. F. Ferris, to be introduced.

Senator Ferris was in the city yesterday and was at the meeting of the council to talk the matter over and secure the personal opinions of the aldermen regarding a change in the bill which he thought advisable. Mr. Ferris stated that he considered the bill in its present form very poor legislation. He suggested that the bill should be drafted so that it be made effective after the present taxes already levied are collected, about Jan. 1, 1904, he thought, being a good time to set.

Mr. Ferris pointed out the fact that should the bill become a law at the present time in its present form the entire taxes of the county, already levied, could be disarranged by the act of one man. It would mean that taxes would be tied up, perhaps indefinitely, and in case the person who brought suit won out, the books would have to be all gone over and changed in the county auditor and county treasurers' offices, f. o. b. He thought that poles at this price, even though shipped from any point on the M. & I. is less than the council has been paying. The matter was referred to the purchasing committee with power to act.

The sewer committee was given further time to report on the matter of drainage on the A. L. Hoffman property in Southeast Brainerd. The bill allowing the members of the fire department pay for attending the Gruenhagen building fire was referred to the fire committee on the ground that there were names of men included who are not firemen.

A petition asking for a water main and a hydrant between Fifteenth and Eighteenth streets on Norwood, was sent in. It was signed by the proper number of freeholders. It was referred to the fire committee to report at next meeting.

Mr. Ferris informed him that he was not at the meeting to discuss the judicious expenditure of the money in the past, but to secure the sentiment of the council on the point which he had raised.

Judge Fleming stated that he did not favor the tying up of the present assessments. He suggested a bill legalizing all the past assessments and taxes, but it was decided that such a measure would be hard to get through.

County Treasurer J. T. Frater was also present at the meeting and was in favor of legalizing the past and present taxes, but he thought it would be a great mistake to disarrange the present assessment.

The aldermen, with the one exception mentioned, were all of one opinion and took to the point raised by Senator Ferris unanimously. In fact a motion was made by Alderman C. D. Johnson that the bill be amended to read so that it will be effective January 1, 1904. Judge Fleming asked that this be amended so that it would be ready "whenever hereafter" such levies are made.

It was finally decided to leave the matter to Mr. Ferris to amend, it being the sentiment of all that the point was well taken. There are several members who thought that the bill would not effect the present assessment. The bill will therefore, in compliance with the wishes of the council, be amended so that it will not become effective until after January 1, 1904.

The regular meeting of the city council was held last night, with President Crust in the chair. The following aldermen were present: Halladay, Gardner, Purdy, Murphy, C. D. Johnson, F. H. Gruenhagen, Robertson, Rowley and S. Johnson.

The following report of Clerk Low, of the municipal court, for the month of January, was received and was on motion filed: Number of arrests in city cases, 16; number paid fines, 15; number discharged after hearing, 1; amount of fines collected, \$191.50; number of civil cases commenced, 12.

Supt. Peterson reported 102 incandescent lights cut in during the month of January, none cut out, 70 arc lights and 504 meters now in use. He also reported the machinery at the power house in better condition than ever before. The report was on motion accepted.

Street Commissioner Weitzel reported having bought 402 cords of rock, enough according to the estimate of former City Engineer Whiteley, to finish the work of macadamizing Front and Laurel streets. The report was on motion accepted.

Dr. Thabes, of the board of health, reported four cases of small pox and 2 cases of scarlet fever in the city during the month of January.

The following pay rolls were allowed:

Police..... \$ 320.50
City Employees..... 348.33
Fire Department..... 122.50
Electric Light Dpt'..... 417.25

When the pay roll of the street employees was read Alderman Robertson flashed a copy of the city charter, and after calling attention to the fact that the charter required an itemized statement of the work done on the streets, moved that the same be itemized before paid. An amendment that the matter be referred to the street committee, and after being checked up allowed, carried.

The finance committee, to which was referred the matter of investigating the sinking fund to see if the money could be used for any city purpose, reported that they had learned that it could not; that this money was to pay bonds or interest on the same. The amount now in the fund is \$5,198.25.

Alderman Rowley brought up the matter of purchasing cedar poles. He had been up the M. & I. and got a corner on cedar poles at \$2 apiece, f. o. b. He thought that poles at this price, even though shipped from any point on the M. & I. is less than the council has been paying. The matter was referred to the purchasing committee with power to act.

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Those who had voted against the proposition at the last meeting began to inquire if there was any new evidence that could be adduced which would place Mr. McCabe in a better light. An affidavit was then read by the city clerk at the request of Mr. Gardner. It was sworn to by the father of the girl, Alvina Kronke, who is claimed to have stayed with a man for three days at McCabe's hotel. The elder Kronke's affidavit was certainly a hot thing and would be good reading for the Police Gazette or Saturday Blade. The father of the girl went on to tell about the time his daughter was supposed to be united in marriage to Jim. Jobinski; how they came to the city to attend the wedding, etc. He stated that

his wife stayed at McCabe's hotel for two or three days before the wedding was supposed to take place and that Jobinski and his daughter were also there, occupying a room together. No objection was made to this by the parents.

The motion to reconsider the matter lost by a vote of six to four. The following was the vote: Nays—Halladay, Murphy, S. Johnson, Robertson, Crust and Rowley. Ayes—Gardner, Purdy, C. D. Johnson and Gruenhagen.

A. E. Moberg appeared before the council and asked that the usual custom of rebating the amount of light rental for the year to the Y. M. C. A. be again complied with. The council passed a resolution ordering the rebate of \$162 as per the request.

The matter of getting things in the city engineers office straightened out so that Engineer Woolman will be placed on a firm basis was again taken up. At the last meeting Mr. Woolman was asked to submit a proposition as to what he would charge for furnishing a new plat of the city and he said that he was willing to do the work for \$100. The proposition was finally accepted.

Alderman Gruenhagen moved that a committee of three be appointed to consult with the city engineer as to plats, maps, etc. Again Alderman Halladay opposed such a move, as he thought it was conflicting with the work of the street committee, and unless he was sure that this was not the case, he would resign from said committee. It was explained to him that it was not the intention of the mover to have the work of this committee conflict with that of the street committee in any manner whatever. The motion of Mr. Gruenhagen finally carried and the following aldermen were named on the committee: Gruenhagen, C. D. Johnson and Halladay.

Another question in reference to the city engineer came up. It was suggested that it would be a wise thing to furnish him an office where the city plats, maps and profiles could be kept and other papers of material importance to the city filed and recorded. The matter was referred to the street committee with power to act.

It has become apparent that someone has blundered and the city will be out a few dollars. It seems that the water main on west Laurel street is frozen and when asked to thaw it out the Minnesota Water Works Co. refused to make a move. Supt. Wright was at the meeting and stated that it was up to the city; that the contract between the city and the water works company was to the effect that the water mains laid seven feet freeze, the city is to provide the remedy. The main was down seven feet but in grading the street for paving last summer two feet of earth was taken off the surface and the main has frozen up. The contract with the water works company provides that when the grade of the street is changed the mains must also be changed to conform. The matter was left in the hands of the fire committee with power to act.

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Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, March 2—Wheat—May,
76 1/2c; July, 76 1/2c. On track—
No. 1 hard, 78 1/2c; No. 1 Northern,
77 1/2c; No. 2 Northern, 76 1/2c.

Duluth Grain and Flax.

Duluth, March 2—Wheat—Cash,
No. 1 hard, 77 1/2c; No. 1 Northern,
76 1/2c; No. 2 Northern, 74 1/2c; No. 3
spring, 71 1/2c. To arrive—No. 1
Northern, 77 1/2c; May, 77 1/2c; July,
77c. Flax—Cash, \$1.11 1/2c.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, March 2—Cattle—Good to
choice steers, \$4.50@5.00; common to
fair, \$3.00@4.25; good to choice cows
and heifers, \$3.25@4.00; calves, \$1.50
@3.00. Hogs—\$6.50@7.15. Sheep—
Good to choice, \$4.75@5.25; lambs,
\$5.50@6.20.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, March 2—Cattle—Good to
prime steers, \$5.25@5.80; poor to me-
dium, \$3.25@4.50; stockers and feeders,
\$2.50@4.75; cows and heifers,
\$1.40@4.75; calves, \$2.25@7.50. Hogs—
Mixed and butchers, \$6.90@7.30;
good to choice, heavy, \$7.30@7.50;
rough heavy, \$6.95@7.30; light, \$6.60
@6.95. Sheep—Good to choice, \$4.00
@5.50; Western, \$4.75@5.50; native
lambs, \$4.75@6.90; Western, \$4.75@
6.80.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, March 2—Wheat—May,
77 1/2c@77 1/2c; July, 78 1/2c@78 1/2c; Sept.,
78 1/2c. Corn—March, 45 1/2c; May,
47 1/2c@47 1/2c; July, 44 1/2c@45c; Sept.,
44 1/2c. Oats—March, 33 1/2c; May,
35 1/2c; July, 32 1/2c; Sept., 29 1/2c. Pork—
May, \$18.20; July, \$17.65; Sept.,
\$17.20. Flax—Cash. Northwestern,
Southwestern, \$1.12; May, \$1.15; Butter—Creameries, 18@21 1/2c;
dairies, 14@24c. Eggs, 13@13 1/2c;
Poultry—Turkeys, 15@18c; chickens,
10@12 1/2c.

PASSES ONE MEASURE

**SENATE ACTS FAVORABLY ON
GENERAL DEFICIENCY BILL
AFTER AMENDING IT.**

HOLDS EVENING SESSION

When Mr. Tillman Raises a Laugh by
Declaring That Senator Quay Bunc-
coed the Democrats—House Strug-
gles Through Session Hampered by
the Filibuster—President Calls Ex-
tra Session of the Senate.

Washington, March 3.—The senate
passed the general deficiency bill after
four hours' consideration and after it
had been amended in several particu-
lars. An amendment by Mr. Rawlins
calling for an appropriation of \$500,
000 to further the work of irrigating
the arid lands furnished material
for considerable discussion, Mr. Rawlins
contending that the surplus in the
treasury could be better used in
this manner than by turning it into
the national banks. The amendment
was rejected on a point or order.

When the Aldrich financial bill was
taken up Mr. Teller continued his re-
marks begun Saturday. He was fol-
lowed by Mr. Carmack, who replied to
some criticisms of a recent speech
by him on the subject of murders in
the Philippines. During the course
of the day the conference reports on
the fortifications appropriation bill
and the Alaskan homestead bill were
agreed to.

BILLS SENT TO CONFERENCE.
After a brief executive session the
Senate at 6 o'clock took a recess until
8 o'clock.

Mr. Morgan got the floor soon after
the night session began and held it
for nearly two hours. While speak-
ing, he observed Mr. Aldrich smile,
and called attention to it. Mr. Aldrich
jestingly remarked that he smiled
because Mr. Morgan was not talking
on the Panama canal. Mr. Morgan
replied that that had no connection
with the financial bill except the
stealing part of it, which is in
Paris.

Mr. Bailey made a strong plea
against filibustering and said that
four great measures had been defeated
by filibustering against the state-
hood bill. He mentioned that bill,
the two treaties and the financial bill.
Other senators said it was evident the
Aldrich bill could not pass.

TILLMAN CONVULSES THE SENATE.

Mr. Tillman convulsed the senate
by declaring that Mr. Quay, "The
most astute politician in the United
States" had buncoced the Democrats.

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WEARY STRUGGLE.

House Works Steadily to Wind Up
Business of Session.

Washington, March 3.—From 11
o'clock in the morning until late at
night the house struggled laboriously
against the Democratic filibuster,
working steadily to wind up the neces-
sary business of the session. Despite
another special rule adopted early in
the day, legislation proceeded at a
snail's pace. Roll call followed roll call
on every proposition. The voices of
the reading clerks were worn out by
the ceaseless calling of the roll and
several clerks from committees have
been drafted to help out. Since
Thursday last, when the filibuster
was inaugurated, there have been over
sixty roll calls as against fifty-seven
for the entire long session, lasting
from Dec. 1, 1901, to July 3, 1902. The
members also show the effects of the
heavy strain, but they are sticking to
their posts.

At night the great hall presented a
dishevelled appearance. The floor
was strewn with bits of paper, looking
as if a snow storm had swept through
the hall.

MANLY WEARY WATCHERS.

In the galleries among the spectators
were many weary watchers inter-
ested in bills doomed to failure,
but still hoping on to the end. The
proceedings were enlivened several
times as the leaders of the respective
sides crossed swords. Their tempers
had not been sweetened by their long
vigilance and frequently the sparks
flew.

The conference reports on the Alas-
kan homestead bill and the immigration
bill were adopted, the omnibus
public building bill and the general
deficiency appropriation bill were
sent to conference. The Otjen bill
to prohibit tobacco dealers from giving
prizes, the bill to provide for a
delegate from Porto Rico, a bill to
advance Major W. C. Gorges to the
rank of assistant surgeon general and a
bill for the relief of Lieutenant E. F. Handforth were passed. That was
the net result of the session up to 9
o'clock p.m.

EXTRA SENATE SESSION.

President Issues Proclamation Calling
One on March 5.

Washington, March 3.—The pres-
ident has issued a proclamation calling
for an extraordinary session of the
Senate of the Fifty-eighth congress to
meet March 5. The proclamation is
as follows:

"Whereas, Public interests require
that the Senate should convene in ex-
traordinary session, therefore, I, Theodo-
re Roosevelt, president of the United
States of America, do hereby pro-
claim and declare that an extra-
ordinary occasion requires the Senate
of the Fifty-eighth Congress to meet
on the fifth day of March next, at 12
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INDIANOLA POSTOFFICE CASE.

All the Papers Bearing on the Sub-
ject Sent to the House.

Washington, March 3.—Postmaster
General Payne during the day for-
warded to the house all the papers in
the case of the Indianola, Miss., post-
office, which was discontinued by the
administration because of the forced
abandonment of the office by its neg-
ro postmistress, Mrs. Minnie V. Cox.
The correspondence shows that A. B.
Weeks, a brother-in-law of Mayor
Davis of Indianola, began his candi-
dacy for the postoffice against the
negro incumbent as far back as April
7, 1902, when he began sending a long
series of letters and telegrams to the
department urging his own appoint-
ment. The papers include an extract
from a letter of a postoffice official
dated Feb. 23, 1903, narrating a conver-
sation which it says took place at
Blox, Miss. In this letter Mayor
Davis of Indianola is quoted as saying
that if Mrs. Cox should again take
charge of the Indianola postoffice
"she would get her neck broken inside
of two hours."

Senator McLaurin of Mississippi
during the day introduced a bill to re-
imburse the people of Indianola, Miss.,
for money expended in providing their
own mail facilities.